

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
Washington, DC 20515-1303

March 24, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chair  
Appropriations Committee  
2358-B Rayburn House Office  
Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
Appropriations Committee  
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Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Washington Street Improvements Plan in Fiscal Year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Franklin Park, located at 9500 Belmont Avenue, Franklin Park, Illinois, 60131. The funding would be used for replacing lead service lines for residents' drinking water. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because this would directly reduce lead in drinking water and make progress towards the goal of replacing all lead pipes.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Delia C. Ramirez  
Member of Congress